



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. Of: KIMURA

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**AMENDMENT B WITH
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Final Action mailed September 2, 2003. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) accompanies this Amendment.

Please amend the Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 24 of this Amendment.

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